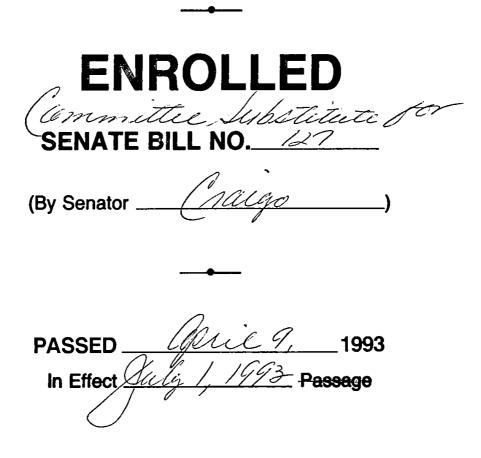
WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1993



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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

Senate Bill No. 127

(SENATOR CRAIGO, original sponsor)

[Passed April 9, 1993; to take effect July 1, 1993.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section one, article twelve, chapter thirty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the board of architects; granting the board general regulatory authority; continuing the board; and relating to compensation of members.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section one, article twelve, chapter thirty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirtyone, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 12. ARCHITECTS.

§30-12-1. Board of architects.

- In order to safeguard the life, health, property and 1 2 public welfare of the people of this state and to protect
- 3 the people against the unauthorized, unqualified and
- 4 improper practice of architecture, the West Virginia
- 5 board of architects, heretofore created, shall continue

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6 in existence and shall consist of seven members, five 7 of whom shall be architects, appointed by the governor 8 by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and 9 two of whom shall be lay members, not of the same 10 political party affiliation, appointed by the governor by 11 and with the advice and consent of the Senate. Each 12 member who is an architect shall have been engaged 13 in the active practice of his profession in the state of 14 West Virginia for not fewer than ten years previous to 15 his appointment. The members of the board in office 16 on the date this article takes effect, in the year one thousand nine hundred ninety, shall, unless sooner 17 18 removed, continue to serve until their respective 19 terms expire and until their successors have been 20 appointed and have qualified. Each member shall be 21 appointed for a term of five years.

The board shall pay each member the same compensation as is paid to members of the Legislature for their interim duties as recommended by the citizens legislative compensation commission and authorized by law for each day or portion thereof engaged in the discharge of official duties and shall reimburse each member for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of official duties.

30 Pursuant to the provisions of chapter twenty-nine-a 31 of this code, the board, in addition to the authority, 32 powers and duties granted to it by this article, has the 33 authority to promulgate rules relating to the regula-34 tion of the practice of architecture and may include 35 rules pertaining to the registration of architects. Any 36 disciplinary proceedings held by the board shall be 37 held in accordance with the provisions of the adminis-38 trative procedures act for contested cases pursuant to 39 the provisions of article five of said chapter.

40 Pursuant to the provisions of section four, article 41 ten, chapter four of this code, the West Virginia board 42 of architects shall continue to exist until the first day 43 of July, one thousand nine hundred ninety-four, to 44 allow for the completion of an audit by the joint 45 committee on government operations.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled. Chairman Senate Com nest Chairman House Committee Originated in the Senate. To take effect July 1, 1993. Clerk of the Senate ouse of D Clerk of nt of th<u>e S</u>enate Pı Speaker House of Delegates .this the . All The within, L.C. day of, 1993.

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GOVERNOR Date <u>4/19/93</u> Time <u>7:50 an</u>